

TREMENDOUS VOTE BEING CAST THROUGHOUT U. S.

ELECTORS ARE
DECIDING BIG
ISSUES TODAY

Fair Weather in Every
Part of Country is
Swelling Poll

BULLETIN
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Nov. 4.—President Coolidge expects a vote in the electoral college of at least 350 and a republican working majority in the house next session of twenty or more, it was said today at the White House.

Washington, Nov. 4.—(By the Associated Press)—The largest electorate that ever cast a vote in any nation undertook today the task of unravelling the most puzzling tangle in modern American political history.

With three major candidates in the field for president; with a full membership of the house to be chosen; with 34 senators and 34 governors to be elected and with thousands of lesser offices to be filled, the twenty-odd million qualified voters of the nation began their march to the polls at dawn and throughout the length and breadth of the land, under generally fair weather conditions, they continued all day to record their will.

Four months of fervid oratory, charges recriminations, accusations, claims, predictions and warnings, were stored in the thoughts of the voters as they marked their decisions on their ballots.

Ringling in their ears were the final pleas of the three major aspirants for the presidency. The republican and democratic standard bearers, Calvin Coolidge and John W. Davis, established a precedent in political and campaigning by addressing an eleventh hour radio appeal last night to an audience that reached from coast to coast. Senator LaFollette, the independent candidate closed his case with a statement to the voters.

President Asked All to Vote.

President Coolidge's plea was one to urge every qualified citizen to vote today.

"We shall always have with us," he said, "an element of discontent, an element inspired with more zeal than knowledge. They are greatly in the minority. But their number is large enough to be a decisive factor in many elections unless it is offset by the sober second thought of the people who have something at stake, whether it be earnings from investment or from employment; who are considering not only their own welfare, but the welfare of their children and coming generations."

Mr. Davis again recited the policies to which he has devoted a fighting campaign.

"Every one of us," he said, "if we will but listen to the voice of conscience, can say what is right and what is wrong. We owe it to ourselves and to our country; we owe it to our children and those who shall come after us to vote accordingly. Will the fathers and mothers of the country be satisfied to set before their children who are to take up the burden of citizenship any lesser standard than one of common honesty?"

LaFollette Repeats Charges.

Senator LaFollette challenged again "this time honored threat of Industrial depression" as a factor in the election and charged that President Coolidge had authorized the republican national committee to run an "elect me or starve" campaign.

"The American people," he said, "have learned their lesson and will not be whipped into line with this stone age propaganda. Neither will they permit the boddling of the election by a huge slush fund."

In addition to the urging of the presidential candidates for the citizen to go to the polls, intense effort was made by hundreds of organizations to "get out the vote." Republicans, democrats, independents, women's organizations, almost every variety of political group exerted itself to swell the total of ballots beyond anything ever seen in American elections.

The central figures in the contest, their arguments ended and their claims submitted, waited in their homes for the verdict.

President Confident Today.

President Coolidge passed the day in the White House, silently awaiting the returns, confident, and even planning for his new tenure of office. He and Mrs. Coolidge had mailed their ballots to their Northampton, Mass., home.

Mr. Davis, declaring the democratic ticket would be returned because it deserved to win, voted at Locust Valley, L. I., and prepared to receive the returns in his home there.

Senator LaFollette, after an intensive drive, voted in Madison, Wis., his home town and he too, expressed his belief that his cause had won the favor of the voters.

The vice presidential candidates, all of whom have been under the

EXTRA

FIRST RETURNS
OF THE ELECTION

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Manchester, N. H., Nov. 4.—Windham, Hillsborough county, the first town in this state to report its vote complete in today's presidential election gave: Coolidge 9; Davis 5; LaFollette 0. In 1920 the town gave Harding 7; Cox 5.

Herrin, Ill., Nov. 4.—(By the Associated Press)—Seventy-five national guardsmen, some with fixed bayonets, patrolled Williamson county today to prevent threatened clashes between the Ku Klux Klan and its opponents. Heavy voting was reported in the early hours with no semblance of trouble.

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Twelve United States deputy marshals aided the militiamen in patrolling the polling place today.

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He was a member of the United Commercial Travelers and Dixon Lodge B. P. O. Elks, and in these two societies, as well as in the ranks of his many friends he will be greatly missed and mourned.

Educational Week is Now in Hands American Legion

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There are 435 seats in the house, of which the republicans now hold 220, counting the LaFollette group, and the democrats 205, and in the voting today in various parts of the country there are alignments, endorsements and unusual alliances between political groups which even the most sophisticated politicians hesitate to foretell the complexion of the next house, although both democratic and republican managers have formally placed their claims of victory.

British Cabinet Will Resign this Evening

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Nov. 4.—The cabinet of Ramsay Macdonald, Great Britain's labor premier whose government was defeated in last week's general election, met this afternoon and after its session it was stated authoritatively that Mr. Macdonald would call on the King this evening to present his resignation which the sovereign would accept.

Later Stanley Baldwin, conservative leader and former premier, will be summoned by the king to form a ministry. Today's results will throw an interesting light on the trend of modern American political thought.

Possibility of Deadlock.

One possibility, widely discussed in the campaign, has been that of a dead lock in the electoral vote. The individual voter does not vote directly for president, but for a group of electors to represent his state and cast the state's proportionate vote for president. The original theory of the constitution was that the electors chosen would follow their own inclinations in choosing a chief executive. In practice, however, it has become an unbroken tradition that an elector votes for the candidate of that party to which he belongs.

Should an insufficient number of states to choose a president give their support to any one party, and should

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JOHN L. ORVIS, A
BELOVED CITIZEN
CALLED TO REWARD

Death Ended Sufferings
Last Night; Funeral
Wednesday P.M.

Another Dixon pioneer, John L. Orvis, one of the most kindly and best beloved men of the community, passed away at his home, 506 Third street at 10:30 o'clock Monday evening, death coming to relieve his sufferings on the 51st anniversary of his birth after six weeks illness. While it had been known for several weeks that Mr. Orvis' illness was critical, his friends had hoped against hope that he would survive, to brighten the circle in which he moved with his remarkably sweet disposition and charming personality. News of his passing has brought great sorrow to those many friends, who unite in tender condolence to the bereaved family.

Funeral services will be held at the home at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, and interment will be at Oakwood; where at the same time the ashes of Mr. Orvis' son, John L. Jr., who died and was cremated at Indianapolis last June, will be laid to rest with him. Rev. G. C. Story will officiate.

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Today's Market Report

Chicago Livestock.

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Chicago, Nov. 4.—Hogs: 24,000; down to 10¢ higher, demand broad, top 50¢; bulk 225 to 225 lb. butchers 9.60 @ 10.10; majority 140 to 150 weight 7.25 @ 8.00; packing sows 8.75 @ 9.00; slaughter pigs 6.25 @ 6.75; choice 28 pound roasters 9.00; average cost of packer and shipper droves of hogs here Monday 9.17; heavy hogs 9.70 @ 10.15; medium 9.25 @ 10.15; lights 7.85 @ 9.65; light lights 6.25 @ 6.50; packing hogs smooth 8.85 @ 9.10; rough 8.50 @ 8.85; slaughter pigs 6.00 @ 7.00.

Cattle: 13,000; slow, few early sales fed steers 9.50 @ 11.65; quality generally medium; early fed steers steady; some demand for low grade cows; other stock dull; bulk veal calves to packers 9.00 @ 9.50; outsiders upward to 10.00; stockers and feeders slow, steady.

Sheep: 80,000; fat lambs strong to 15¢ higher; sorting moderate, early bulk natives 13.75 @ 13.85; top 14.00; culs 10.50 @ 11.00; no rangers sold; choice 77 pound clipped lambs 12.25; fat sheep strong to 25¢ higher; ewes 5.00 @ 7.00; feeding lambs steady, 13.25 @ 13.75; feeder yearlings 10.50.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Potatoes: light trading, holiday market dull, receipts 107 cars; total U. S. shipments 1,091; Minnesota and North Dakota sacked Red River Ohios 95 @ 1.05; Minnesota and Wisconsin sacked round whites 70 @ 55.

East St. Louis Horses.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
East St. Louis, Ill.—Horses: good to choice drafts \$125 @ \$175; medium to good drafts \$85 @ \$125; good to choice chucks \$85 to \$85; choice southern horses \$45 to \$75.

Mules: drafts 16 to 17 hands \$175 @ \$240; top cotton mules 15.2 to 16 hands \$125 to \$155; cotton mules 15 to 15.2 hands \$80 to \$125; sugar mules 15 to 16.2 hands \$65 to \$225.

Local Markets.

Butter 35
Eggs 47
Corn 93
Oats 38

DIXON MILK PRICE

From Nov. 1 until further notice the Borden Co. will pay for milk received, \$1.80 per 100 pounds for milk testing 4% butter fat direct ratio.

EVERYBODY HAPPY

SYBIL—it's no use denying it, Maud. I saw some young man kiss you in the garden. I'm ashamed of you.

MAUD—I don't see why you should be. I've often seen George kiss you.

SYBIL (engaged to George)—Yes, but I allow nobody but George to kiss me.

MAUD—Well, nobody but George ever kisses me.—Answers.

Owing to favorable monsoons for three consecutive years, India looms as one of the greatest potential trade areas among the new markets of the world.

Too Late to Classify

FOUND—Pair of glasses. By identifying same and paying for ad, owner may have them by calling at the Telegraph office. 26113

FOR SALE—1924 5-passenger Velle touring. New condition, fully equipped and guaranteed. F. G. Eno, Buick Garage. 26113

FOR SALE—Ford Tudor Sedan, first-class shape. See it at the Buick Garage. F. G. Eno. 26113

FOR SALE—1920 Six Buick, with sedan top, fine condition. Six tires. F. G. Eno, Buick Garage. 26113

LOST—Key ring, 2 house keys, 2 Yale keys, 2 auto keys. Finder leave at Chas. E. Keyes office in Theatre Bldg. for reward. 26113

FOR SALE—4000 lbs. pure Buckwheat flour. Jas. P. Manges. 26113*

FOR SALE—Used Oak Victrola, \$50. cost 75. This includes \$25 of records. Used \$30 Oak Phonograph with \$50 worth of records for \$45. Terms if desired. Kennedy Music Co. 26113

FOR RENT—6-room apartment, modern with exception of bath. First floor. Garage and garden. Close to shoe factory. Call at 321 Monroe Ave. 26113*

WANTED—Operators on sewing machines, patching sacks. Sandusky Cement Co. It

FOR RENT—6-room apartment close to business section. For particulars see F. X. Newcomer Co. 26113

FOR RENT—6-room dwelling just outside city. Furnace, well, cistern, electric lights, room for car. F. X. Newcomer Co. 26113

FOR RENT—Modern sleeping room. Breakfast if desired. Mrs. R. L. West. Tel. R367. 11

FOR RENT—Modern sleeping (front) room. Couple or two gentlemen preferred. 1 block from Court House. Tel. Y883. 26113*

FOR SALE—1922 Ford coupe. Priced right for quick sale. Tel. R728. 26111*

FOR SALE—Ford roadster in fine mechanical condition; good tires, starter and demountable rims. Will trade on late model Ford coupe and pay cash difference. Phone L2. 26111*

FOR SALE—Selling out entire stock of canned goods, fixtures and Ford roadster. Accounts not settled by Nov. 5th can be paid at A. H. Hanneken's office. Dixon Meat Market. 26111

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FOR SALE—We do brief work. Call 134 for further information.

When buying a new car figure care-

fully its resale price two or three later—used Buick's sell well. 25416

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Local Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Gehant and Mrs. Wallace Hicks of Lincoln, attended the funeral of Mrs. Floyd Irwin in West Brooklyn yesterday.

Herman Schafer of Dixon and Geo. Becker, of Freeport, visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Killmer of Ambay yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lehman and son, Sam, spent Sunday at the home of C. W. Lehman or Franklin Grove.

George O'Malley and family have returned from South Bend, Ind., where they attended the Notre Dame Georgia Tech football game.

Miss Velma Fay White and Miss Celia White spent the week-end in Chicago.

Miss Jeanette Patterson spent the week-end at the home of her parents in Mt. Carroll.

Have you seen Keithley's Crysanthemums at Sinclair's fruit store, 25757, Forest Ave.?

Father Quinn of West Brooklyn, was in Dixon Saturday.

Miss Augusta Barnes of Palmyra was in Dixon Monday.

Miss Ethel Knapp of Ashton was a Dixon caller Monday.

Henry Saniorous of Palmyra was a Dixon caller Monday.

Mrs. E. J. Lamer and Miss Ollie Cochran, of Sterling, were in Dixon, Monday.

Mrs. Florence Almond of Chicago, spent the week-end in Dixon.

Mrs. Richard Smith of Franklin Grove was a Dixon caller Monday.

Clifford Witcher of Sterling was in Dixon on business Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Warren of Grand Detour was in Dixon Monday.

Miss Harriet Haines of Palmyra was in Dixon Monday.

Albert Bolton, of South Dixon, was a business caller in Dixon Monday.

William Meppen of Nachusa was in Dixon on business Monday.

Joe Atkinson of Nelson was a Dixon caller Monday.

William Morris of the Kingdom was in Dixon on business Monday.

Chris Bothe, of South Dixon, was in Dixon on business Monday.

X. Newcomer was in Polo Sunday.

Miss Iggyade Chase and Miss Ruby Miller spent Sunday in Morrison.

Mrs. Anna Wilbur and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schumm were in Ottawa, Sunday.

Henry Bohilken of South Dixon was in Dixon on business Monday.

Miss Olive Read was in Chicago, Sunday.

George Weyant was a business caller in Morrison Monday.

Charles Bott, of South Dixon was in Dixon on business Monday.

Miss Bessie Bollock, of Chicago, spent the week-end visiting friends in Dixon.

Interest in the triangular presidential contest was equalled in the gubernatorial fight between Governor Len Small and Judge Norman L. Jones, democrat, who was supported by two Chicago newspapers which advocated election of the balance of the republican ticket.

Herbert Bolman was in Morrison Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Robbins were in Ambly Sunday evening.

H. E. Senniff was in Chicago over Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Scott was in Hinckley over the week end.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Christena Lair to Ed A. Pomeroy, wd lots 3, 4, 5, blk 6 Lee Center, stamps \$5.00.

Sam Cramer and wife to Chas. Fremont Pelton wd westerly 1.3 lot 2 blk 34 West Dixon. Stamps \$5.00.

Helen Vaile Coyer and husband to Raymond & Derkinderen wd pt blk 13 Hines add Dixon. Stamps \$5.00.

Heirs of J. Vaile to Raymond & Derkinderen wd same as above.

Geo. C. Loveland and wife to James O. Huff and wife wd lot 61 Riverside add Dixon. \$1.00.

Thomas Hiland and wife to Albert Hanes wd lots 7, 8, blk 1 Seward. Stamps \$1.00.

Chas. Tully and wife to Walter Tully wd lot 7 blk 58 Dement's add Dixon. Stamps \$5.00.

Ed Loan, et al to Lena A. Blowers QCD sec 4 twp 19 nr 11 e 4 p.m. \$1.00.

Henry L. Clegg and wife to Wm. Wm. J. Barry QCD lot 27 blk 19 West Dixon. Stamps \$5.00.

John Devenny to F. U. Vaughn wd e 1/2 sec 4 twp 20 nr 9 e 4 p.m. Stamps \$5.00.

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WOMEN'S INTERESTS



Society

Menus for Family Tested by SISTER MARY.

Tuesday.
Woman's Auxiliary to Presbyterian Church—Mrs. W. H. Smith, 623 North Ottawa Ave.

Y. P. M. S. of M. E. Church—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forman, 915 West Third St.

W. M. S.—Mrs. F. E. Self, 1009 Highland avenue.

Baldwin Auxiliary, No. 23, U. S. W. V.—G. A. R. Hall.

Wednesday.
Phidian Art Club—Mrs. H. A. Roe, 526 E. Fellows St.

Aid Society St. James Church—Mrs. D. E. Burkett, 821 Ottawa Ave.

Prairieville Social Circle—Mrs. Harry Fredericks.

Community Nurses Association—Rest Room at Chamber of Commerce.

Woman's Auxiliary American Legion—G. A. R. Hall.

Ideal Club—Mrs. L. W. Miller, 1510 Third St.

Thursday.
Dorcas Society—West Side Congregational church.

Ladies' Aid Society St. Paul's Church—At Church.

St. Agnes Guild—Mrs. George Hawley, 316 Ottawa Ave.

Rebekah Sewing Club—I. O. O. F. Hall.

The only reward of virtue is virtue; the only way to have a friend is to be one.—R. W. Emerson.

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS—

Grease the Dish.

Before melting chocolate for a cake frosting, grease the dish with butter.



so that so much will not stick to the sides of the dish and be wasted.

Will Remove Stains.

Common soda or salt will often remove the stains from china.

Delicious Pudding.

Leftover cake makes very delicious puddings if milk and eggs are added, and a fruit sauce poured over.

Canned Carrots.

Small carrots are canned by the cold pack method.

Use Soapy Water.

The water in which blankets are rinsed should be soapy in order to make the blankets light and fluffy.

Put on Hangers.

Always put your dresses away on hangers as soon as you take them off, and dust and clean them before putting them back in the closet.

Hang Up Utensils.

Keep as many of your kitchen utensils hung up as possible so that you do not have to look through drawers or on shelves to find what you want.

For Preserves.

The addition of a half teaspoon of glycerin to a pint of grape jelly or preserves just before the fruit is poured into the jars, will prevent the formation of acid crystals.

To Bleach Hands.

Washing the hands in warm milk every night is an excellent and harmless way to bleach them and to remove traces of household soot.

For Cleaning Hats.

Corn meal is excellent for cleaning ham and felt hats. It should be rubbed in, allowed to stand for a day or so, and then rubbed out with a clean brush.

Making Fruit Whips.

Fruit whips are delicious and may be made by mashing any fruit or combination of fruits with an egg beater and adding sugar as needed. It looks much more attractive served in tall glasses with a spoonful of whipped cream on top.

For Creamed Codfish.

You can make delicious creamed codfish by making a dressing of milk



thickened with flour and butter and the yolks of two eggs. Then just before serving fold in the stiffly beaten whites of the eggs.

To Prevent Curdling.

When custard sauce curdles in the making, set it in a pan of ice water and beat with an egg beater until smooth.

WHITE PAPER FOR PANTRY SHELVES—
White paper for the pantry shelves and bureau drawers, nicely put up in rolls from 10 cents to 50 cents. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

WERE GUESTS AT HUCKER HOME—
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haskins and Mr. and Mrs. Richards of Chicago, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hucker, 317 College avenue, Sunday.

K. C. BAZAAR

TONIGHT

Darby's 6-Piece

EXTRA!

Election Returns

by Radio

Come and hear election reports and enjoy the dancing.

How Pretty Your Hair Looks

Every woman thrills to this compliment. When the hair is "done" here, it is sure to be in the most becoming fashion, exactly as you would like it—and it stays.

Our Facial Massage builds up skin tissue and brings back the bloom of youth and health.

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A LUXURIOUS NEGLIGEE



Dixon Woman's Club in Meeting Saturday

The Dixon Woman's Club met in regular session at the Christian church Saturday afternoon. The attendance was large.

The program was in charge of the Art and Literature Department. The first number was a violin solo, "Adoration" by Felix Barowski by Miss Mabel Smith, accompanied by Miss Otto Strock. They responded to an encore by playing "Minuet in G" by Beethoven.

Mrs. H. A. Lazier read a very interesting paper on "Modern American Literature." She said at the outset that this was a very pretentious title for a paper that could only skim the surface of the great mass of American literature and that she would not attempt to do more than touch upon those who have written about American life and who most truly reflect in their writings the spirit and traditions of our country, and concern themselves with truth, morals and democracy.

She first considered the short story, which she said was America's distinctive contribution to literature, which attained to its full perfection in the writings of O. Henry, William Sidney Porter.

Life in the various sections of our country is so varied that it transpires that we have story writers for all sections. New England has W. D. Howells, Edith Wharton, Dorothy Canfield Fisher, Alice Brown; New York has O. Henry, Richard Harding Davis, Fannie Hurst; Virginia, Thomas Nelson Page, F. Hopkinson Smith, and James Branch Cabell. To mention only one or two in the different sections—the middle west has Booth Tarkington, Sinclair Lewis, Gene Stratton Porter; the west, O. Henry, Bret Harte, Jack London, for the south, Joel Chandler Harris, must be mentioned, famous author of "Uncle Remus." Brief but pointed mention was made of a number of novels, and the excellence of theme, among them being, Main Street, The Covered Wagon, The House of Mirth, Rough Hewn, The Bent Twig and The Brimming Cup were especially recommended.

(To Be Continued Tomorrow.)

Gingerbread.

One-half cup molasses, 4 tablespoons sugar, 2 cups tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons lard, 1 1/2 cups flour, 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon ginger, 1 teaspoon soda, 1/2 cup boiling water, 1 egg, 1/2 cup finely chopped nuts sprinkled with 1 tablespoon flour, 1/4 teaspoon salt.

Soften butter and lard. Cream shortening and sugar. Add molasses. Mix and sift flour, salt and spices and stir into first mixture. Dissolve soda in boiling water. Add to first mixture and beat until smooth. Add eggs, well beaten. Add nuts. Mix well and pour over apples. Bake half an hour in a moderate oven. Serve with whipped cream slightly sweetened and flavored with vanilla.

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Dixon Man Claims Sterling Girl as Bride

Miss Fern Evelyn Needham, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Needham of 602 West Fourth street, Sterling, became the bride of Harold Duane Wadsworth, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wadsworth of Dixon, Saturday afternoon in Chicago.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Parkin, pastor of a Methodist church on the south side. Rev. Parkin attended the Rock River conference in Sterling and during that time was a guest in the Needham home. The single ring ceremony was used at the wedding.

The young couple were attended by Miss Ruby Hunniford of Sterling, an intimate friend of the bride, and John Reiten of Chicago, also a friend.

The bride was attired in a lovely costume of copper colored georgette crepe combined with chenille. Her flowers were bride's roses.

Following the ceremony the wedding party was served dinner in Chicago.

The bride is a well known Sterling girl, where she has a legion of friends who extend best wishes. The groom is held in high esteem by his many friends in Dixon. He has a splendid position in that city.

Judge Crabtree married the couple at his office in the court house.

The bride was beautifully gowned in cream colored canary crepe.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilton are receiving the best wishes of their many friends and their relatives. They are most estimable young people, well liked by all, who know them. They will reside in Chana, Ill., on their return from their honeymoon to Peoria, where they will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jaden.

The marriage took place in Dixon, Saturday, Nov. 18, at 2:30 o'clock. Spencer Tilton was the best man and Mrs. Roy Davison was the matron of honor.

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The evening was spent in chat and greetings followed by music and readings. Mrs. O'Malley and daughter, Mildred, favored the company with several vocal and instrumental numbers.

DORCAS SOCIETY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—

The members of the Dorcas society of the West Side Congregational church will meet at the church at 2:30

Unemployment in Trinidad has led to a large exodus from the island.

MUSIC ASSN. TO BE ORGANIZED IN DIXON NEXT WEEK

Sponsored By Phidians; Object to Secure Best Talent.

Thursday afternoon. A good attendance is desired.

Entertained Seventy-four Guests Saturday

During the week of November 10th, inclusive, there is to be formed in Dixon a new organization which promises to be one of the important factors in the civic life.

It is to be the Civic Music Association of Dixon, which is to be featured by the Phidian Art Club.

Every man, woman and child will be invited to membership. This membership will make it possible to bring to Dixon the world's greatest artists and famous musical attractions, and thus put this city on the list of metropolitan cities which are doing artistic things on a big scale.

Through this plan it will be possible for local music lovers to see the inauguration of great concerts put on a permanent and sound financial basis.

All citizens who join the Civic Music Association during the week of November 10th and become paid members, will be entitled to free admission to each concert. Under the plan, only members of the association will be admitted and there will be no single admissions or season tickets.

This is a civic organization, from which there is no profit derived by anyone and in which there are none who take any financial responsibility.

The membership fee will be nominal, but the large number which the association hopes to secure will provide an adequate amount to secure the greatest talent available.

This fund, secure through membership fees, safeguards the local association against any loss.

November 10th is the week for the organization and more extensive announcements will be given later.

ENTERTAINED AT ROAST CHICKEN DINNER—

Mr. and Mrs. W. Guynn entertained Sunday with a roast chicken dinner. Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Weeks, Battle Creek, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. George Bain, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Knott of Rockford; Mr. and Mrs. A. Teeter and daughter, Stella Mae Weigle, Mrs. E. Shaler, Lester Reese, of Dixon.

ENTERTAINED AT ROAST CHICKEN DINNER—

Mr. and Mrs. Will Carlsen of Palmyra entertained Mrs. W. Carlsen, Sr., from Sterling at a roast chicken dinner Sunday.

ENJOYED SIX WEEKS MOTOR TRIP—

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hettlinger have returned from a six weeks motor trip to Denver and Colorado Springs.

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Judge Heard to be Guest of Rockford Bar Ass'n.

Justice Oscar E. Heard, of Freeport, now member of the State Supreme Court, will be the guest of honor at a dinner to be arranged by members of the Rockford Bar association within a short time.

The invitation was extended to the judge at the gathering of lawyers at Geneva by President Bruce H. Garrett of the local lawyers' association, and accepted, the date of his visit to be given later.

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Without discomfort or inconvenience, your outline will imperceptibly change from stout to slender.

The flesh is not pushed from one part of the body to another, but actually disappears through the natural process of heat and perspiration.

A simple enough remedy within every woman's reach. No excuse now for unsightly bulges.

Stylish Stout Reducing Girdle will perspire these away.

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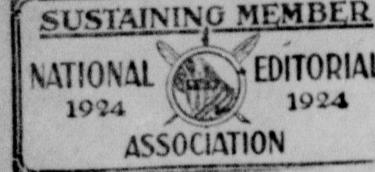
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MORE FOREIGN LOANS

As was expected, the highly successful flotation of the German loan in this country has set an example to Europe. The foreign idea seems to be, "If it is so easy to borrow money now in America, why not borrow?" The Swedish government is asking for a \$30,000,000 loan from the people of his country.

France will about Nov. 10 float a long-term \$150,000,000 loan in this country, \$100,000,000 of this to be used to pay the house of Morgan the \$100,000,000 credit extended to it by the Morgans, leaving France \$50,000,000 for market operations tending to fortify the French currency exchange value. Next it is expected that the kingdom of Belgium will probably enter the American money market for \$50,000,000 to \$100,000,000 before the end of the year. Germany may decide to take further advantage of the big over-subscription to her last loan. Italy and several other Old World countries could easily use a few of Uncle Sam's millions—and may get them.

Some Americans seem to deplore this tendency, and regard all prospective foreign borrowers as underserving beggars. But well informed Americans generally realize that this country has more cash right now than is good for it, and that some of the surplus, wisely scattered abroad in the form of well secured loans, will come back with increase.

THE ALLEY OF LONG AGO.

Tragedy: A spark from the chimney of a Boston tenement destroys an enormous pile of kindling wood on the roof. This wood had been brought from miles away by small boys of the families that live below.

Throughout the hot summer they had toiled, hauling the kindling in toy wagons or breathing heavily as they trudged along with their precious cargo in their arms.

"About \$100 damages," reported the tragic firemen. But the official record does not cover the disappointment and heartache of the small lads whose toil has vanished in smoke. To them it is a tragedy.

Grown-up men will sympathize with these poor Boston boys, as memory takes them back to alley-prowling of years gone by. The alley had not been virtually eliminated then by city congestion and high land values.

It was the choice playground of all red-blooded lads. There they gathered kindling, collected old iron and bones for the junkman, or searched near the liverystable for the symbol of good luck—the horseshoe.

Comes, too, in memory, the alley fences from whose tops we raided fruit trees, and no fruit ever tasted sweeter.

The alley, as a boyhood institution, is just about gone except in smaller towns or villages. City youth, never having tasted this sweet, doesn't know what it is missing. But a considerable army of us, if boys again wouldn't trade, for modern youth's radios and movies and other marvels, the old-time alley and its fences disfigured with initials carved by the proud owners of Christmas jackknives.

Progress is fine, cluttering life with fancy manufactured articles. But we lose a lot of the great thrills and pleasures when we forfeit simplicity.

Tom Sawyer's natural habitat is an alley.

MORE UNTAXED SECURITIES.

At the time when a fight was made, in the last congressional session, to curb the issuance of tax-exempt bonds, it was estimated that there were \$10,000,000,000 of such se-

curities outstanding. Now the total is said to have risen to \$13,000,000,000. There was a billion added in the last month. There are too many half-million incomes paying only about \$30 income tax.

The increasing flow of capital into untaxed investments, from wealthy capitalists, is sure to result in a stronger demand than ever for action when congress meets again. The unfairness of such exemptions and the economic evil of withdrawing capital from productive industry, largely for extravagant public expenditures, are recognized on all sides.

BOOZE.

In three years Uncle Sam's sleuths have arrested 177,000 for violating the prohibition law. That's 59,000 a year—or one out of every 1900 Americans. Which certainly is a very small fraction of the sellers and drinkers.

Prohibition cannot be successful until the campaign against liquor reverts to what it used to be—educational, rather than an abstract plea to obey the law. The educational campaign was dropped too soon.

INTOXICATING.

How much alcohol make a beverage intoxicating? Any step to "ease" the prohibition regulations will hinge on this question. Possibly a scientific clinic will result, to test the effects of liquor on people. Conscription would hardly be necessary.

Intoxication depends on the drinker. A hyper-thyroid person, virtually immune to stimulants, gets less kick out of a whole pint of brandy than the average man out of two drinks.

SHRINKING.

American railroads have about 250,000 miles of tracks. In eight years there was a shrinkage of over 4000 miles. With the country growing, railroads should be extending instead of abandoning trackage. Yet even a greater transportation problem is in inadequacy of terminals, particularly for freight. The trouble is less in the haul than in loading and unloading and switching where traffic congests in cities.

SCOPOLAMIN.

The "truth serum" (scopolamin-apomorphia) is a success, it's claimed at convention of Eastern Society of Anesthetists. This drug, to make people tell the truth whether they want to or not, is a humane form of third-degree.

After reading the list of income taxes paid by some of America's presumably rich men, we suggest that scopolamin be administered before swearing to the truthfulness of an income tax report. That is not beyond possibility.

TOM SIMS SAYS

Ho, hum. If you can't get a chuckle out of this stuff you can go listen to the radio politicians and laugh out loud.

Ah by the time we thought up a new costume for a masque ball we decided to go as a nervous wreck.

In Boston, a man claims a \$10,000 reward for staying sober ten years. Even if he doesn't get it, he has saved that much.

We wouldn't send a daughter of ours to a dance with a drunk, not even if we had a dozen daughters.

The first reliable sign of old age is when a man starts thinking the rising generation is going to the dogs.

Woman in Steubenville, O., shot her husband instead of poisoning him, which was rather old fashioned of her.

The man who kicks because the cat gets under his feet, should try keeping goldfish instead.

And political machines, as you may have heard, use a lot of gas.

Dealers say we are smoking less tobacco, but don't say more what.

The world, says a scientist, shakes like jelly; but maybe he has been going to too many dances.

We spend so much for fun and have so little of it.

It's awful to be just rich enough to make your wife wish she could afford a fur coat.

The circus ring isn't as amusing as the political ring.

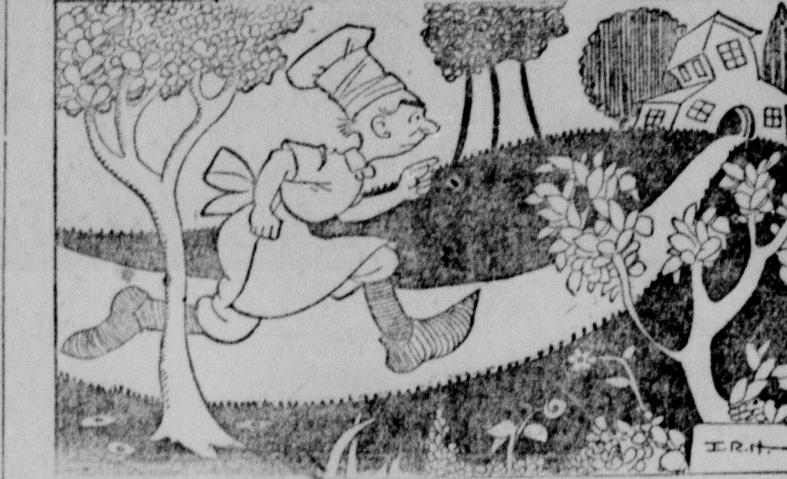
Probing a woman's mind is about as simple as unscrambling an egg.

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Clive Roberts Barton

NO. 14—IN THE KING'S FOREST



Along the road came the cook, hurrying as fast as he could move.

When the King of Yum Yum Land

ordered the magic fork and the magic

teapot to bring him a meal and set it

before him in hunting lodge, Nancy

and Nick and Daddy Gander looked

with all their eyes.

It wasn't more than fifteen seconds

until clatter, clatter, clatter! back

came the fork and teapot with a meal

fit to set before a king, as indeed it

soon was.

While the peddler in the palace was

eating cold mutton and salty potatoes

and tough beans and horrible pie, the

king in the forest was eating nightingales' tongues and fried goldfish and

creased violets and ice cream of forty

colors. But that was only about one

hundredth of it.

If I should tell you all he ate, you

would never get to bed tonight.

Along the road came the cook, hur-

rying as fast as he could move.

"If I can get the magic fork," he

kept saying anxiously, "I shall be

able to keep my head on my shoul-

ders. I hope that I can sneak into

the hunting lodge by the back way

and get hold of it when the king isn't

looking. If I don't get it the peddler

will off with my head at sunrise.

A pretty mess I made out of things

when I made this old peddler King of Yum Yum Land. Small thanks I

got for my trouble."

At the same time the peddler was

cross as a bear about the bad meal

he had eaten) was coming down an-

other road toward the hunting lodge

in the forest.

And he was saying to himself, "If

I can only get the magic fork back

that I gave the king, I'll be fixed for

the rest of my life. That cook at the

palace is the worst ever! I'm glad I

ordered his head off. Why, I had

better meals when I was peddling

frying pans and milk pails. Yes, I'll

have to sneak in by the back door

As you can see, I need it so."

Instantly he began to rise, the cook

did, fork, pan and all straight toward

the sky. The magic dust-pan was

taking him on a journey.

(To be Continued)

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

MY HUSBAND WAS TELLING ME ABOUT YOUR COAT OF ARMS, AND THAT YOU ARE A DESCENDANT OF BARON HOOPLE, A NOBLE OF KING ARTHUR'S COURT! I AM SURE YOU MUST FEEL VERY PROUD OF YOUR LINEAGE, MR. HOOPLE!

TUSH, TUSH, MRS. ST. CLAIR, MY DEAR WOMAN—WISH YOUR HUSBAND HAD NOT SPOKEN OF IT!

REALLY, I AM NOT IN THE HABIT OF TALKING ABOUT MYSELF!

IT IS MY NATURE TO BE QUIET AND RETIRING!

I HAVE MUCH TO FEEL PROUD ABOUT—BUT AH, I AM CONTENT AS PLAIN MAJOR HOOPLE!

AH—HEM.

GENE FINERN.

THE MAJOR TAKES ON A MODEST MIEN TODAY

YEH, TH'MAJOR IS AS QUIET AN' RETIRING AS A MEGAPHONE! HE DOESN'T LIKE TO BRAG ABOUT HIMSELF! NEITHER DOES A BOTTLE OF PATENT MEDICINE!

THIS GAFF ABOUT ANCESTORS IS TH' GAG! WHAT'S TO STOP ANY OF US FROM TRACING OUR UNCLE'S BACK TO OL' NOAH?

LaFollette Spent Day Resting at His Home

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Madison, Wis., Nov. 4—Senator Robert M. La Follette, awaiting at Maple Bluff Farm the verdict of the American voters on the presidential campaign he carried to the nation, expressed confidence today that "progress will win."

"There is but one issue before the people," he said in his final statement to the voters. "It is whether the forces of reaction or the forces of progress shall determine the policies of the government.

"I am confident that progress will win."

Aside from an automobile trip to Madison with members of his family to vote, Senator La Follette's program called for a day of ease on the farm.

ENGRAVED OR PRINTED Christmas Greeting cards. Beautiful in design. High-class workmanship. Come early and make your selections.

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Taxes add 20 per cent to the cost of gasoline in France.

Oregon—The carnival which was put on at the Coliseum by the seniors and juniors of the high school Thursday and Friday nights was a financial success, about \$500 being cleared.

The high school basketball team defeated the town team Friday night by a score of 10 to 8, which made it real exciting for the spectators. In the mask ball that followed there was such a crowd that they could scarcely dance, yet all seemed to have a good time. The students hope to make it an annual affair.

Mrs. DeLois Andrews who has been ill at the home of her mother, Mrs. William Canode is much improved the last few days.

Mrs. Wilbur Brooks and Miss Irene Murdoch motored to Bloomington for the week end.

Miss Esther Kleist of the Oregon high school faculty last year spent the week end in Oregon. Miss Kleist is teaching in the Belvidere high school this year.

Miss Edith Lindsay, English teacher in the high school, has been ill at her home in Farmer City for a week but is expected here Tuesday to resume her work.

Mrs. Henry Hayless has been suffering with rheumatism for the last few days.

Rev. and Mrs. Loyal Sitter and daughter, of Franklin Grove were Oregon visitors a few days last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Rogers and Mr. and

SMALL BALLOTS IN MANY CITIES GIVE VOTERS REAL WORK

Many Communities Have Propositions in Addition to State's.

Springfield, Nov. 4—(By The Associated Press)—Small ballots today presented a problem for some Illinois voters that took more time and thought than voting for candidates, especially those who wanted to vote "straight."

Every Illinois voter had at least five small ballots handed him today, along with the big one which contained names of nearly three hundred candidates, and ten or twelve parties. In some counties and cities, there were several other small ballots, calling for a "yes" or "no" on some local project.

The big ballot today was larger than that of two years ago, but not so large as that of the last presidential election. From the standpoint of overhead cost, the most expensive candidate in today's election was Parker Longworth of Chicago, running for United States senator under the caption "Limit Land Manipulations and Rents." A whole column was given over to this party and his was the only name on it. Thousands of pounds of additional paper were required to make space for this one name, as much paper, in fact, as was required for the entire Republican and Democratic tickets.

Whether trolley cars or motor busses should pre-empt in Springfield, was the question put to voters on the chief of the small ballots in the city. Voters were asked to decide whether the Illinois Power company should be given an exclusive 20-year franchise to operate street cars. Those against it declared a preference for a competitive motor-bus service.

Another small ballot proposed the annexation of territory southeast of Springfield.

Establishment of the Springfield Drainage District to be supported by a one-third of one cent tax levy, and the issuance of a million and a half in bonds, was proposed on two other ballots. Adoption of these proposals would result in construction of a sewage disposal plant here, and relieve the city of the necessity of using streams for that purpose, it was asserted.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Leased Wire Havana, Cuba.—The secretary of the interior announced that General Machado, liberal and popular party candidate, had undoubtedly been elected president of Cuba.

Plymouth, Vt.—Col. John Coolidge, father of the president, led an Oxford University team to victory over a University of Chicago team in a debate on prohibition.

Prof. Potter Talked to Gyros on High Schools

The members of the Dixon Gyro club listened to a very interesting talk on high schools, their necessities and shortcomings last evening at the regular weekly dinner and business session at the Dixon Inn. Prof. L. B. Potter, superintendent of the city schools, delivered the talk which was highly appreciated and proved very instructive.

DIPLOMACY

ALBERT—Father, what is tact? FATHER—Tact, my boy, is what prevents a gray-haired man with a wrinkled face from reminding a youthful-looking woman with the complexion of a rose that they were boy and girl together—Tit-Bits.

—Housewives—particular—we have a supply of nice white paper for the pantry shelves and bureau drawers on hand for the fall house cleaning. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

ATTENTION.

House cleaning time is here. Those who are particular always use our white paper for pantry shelves and bureau drawers. It is put up for your convenience in rolls priced from 10¢ to 50¢.

RECOMMENDED BY HER DOCTOR

Found Strength by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Kankakee, Illinois.—"My mother-in-law always took your medicine for my weakness, and then in the Change of Life it did her so much good that she induced me to take it for a weakness I had for a year and a half. It has strengthened me, and now I have a nice baby boy. I do all my own housework now, and I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound whenever I have the opportunity. I am taking it again for weakness, as my family doctor has recommended it for this purpose."—Mrs. HARRY COULOM, 984 North Harrison Ave., Kankakee, Illinois.

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For the relief of female weakness, pains and backache, nervousness and irregularities, with other troubles common to women, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a dependable medicine.

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Farmers

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SPORT NEWS

BEAR TALE FROM CLINTON BEFORE RETURN GAME HERE

But Qualification Comes with Announcement of Stars Signed.

The Clinton, Iowa, Legion football squad has been on decline since its tilt with the Dixon Legion two weeks ago and fans from that city have grown pessimistic, according to reports. The slowing up of the Iowans, which was induced by injuries, has necessitated a general building up of the team for several hard contests that confront them. The Clinton aggregation will meet Dixon in a deciding battle at Brown's Field one week from next Sunday.

The Clinton Advertiser in commenting upon the rebuilding of the team Saturday, says:

Clinton American Legion football fans lost much of their pessimism today with the announcement that the badly crippled team had been strengthened by the addition of new backfield material and will be able to put a fast hard fighting aggregation on the gridiron at Brown's Field, Moline, Sunday against the W. K. Moline Indians.

George Eversman, latest addition to the Legion squad, is rated as a real backfield star and is expected to give the Legion the needed speed and punch for hard battles against Moline, Spring Valley and Kalona.

Eversman is a graduate of Purdue University and later did special work at Illinois University where he made the acquaintance of Burt Ingwersen, now head grid coach at Iowa U.

"Ing" Recommends Him.

Ingwersen was favorably impressed with Eversman's ability and when Manager Burlingame was looking for an extra backfield man for last year's battle at Spring Valley, recommended Eversman for the job. Eversman was engaged and went to Spring Valley with the locals, only to have the game called off on account of rain. Manager Burlingame and a number of the locals spent some time with Eversman and are convinced that he has the stuff. The Purdue lad earned his varsity letter three consecutive years and also earned letters in basketball. He is exceedingly fast, a shifty open field runner and has enough weight 165 pounds, to smash the line.

With Eversman and Belding, both former Big Ten stars, to put the necessary punch in the Legion attack it is believed that the locals have the nucleus of a real backfield. Sad they forfeit the game."

Williams in Squad.

Larry Williams, another new addition to the squad, is expected to be a big aid and with the addition of these men the locals now have a real array of stars; Lester Belding, Muggs Burlingame, George Eversman, Basil Knight, Harold Knight, Bryan Pinney, Larry Williams and Nips Murphy.

In addition Holder, giant lineman and Tiesse have had backfield experience and can be used when necessary.

Both of the Knight boys, Pinney Murphy and Tiesse are on the crippled list and it is not likely that any of them can play Sunday, but they will be available for other hard games.

Shea to Meet Noble.

Chicago—Eddie Shea, Chicago featherweight, was signed to meet Billy Noble in Omaha, Nov. 7, Carl Tremaine of Cleveland at East Chicago Nov. 14 and Joe Pagline at Louisville Nov. 24.

ATWATER KENT R A D I O

THINK OF WHAT IS BACK OF IT

EVERYTIME a purchaser leaves our store, having bought an ATWATER KENT Radio set, we feel we have made a life-long friend. We know that we have sold him equipment that is the last word in radio—and we have made sure that its operation is thoroughly understood.

How far we have succeeded in winning our customers' confidence can be judged by the fact that every ATWATER KENT set bought from us has stayed sold—and sold others. Before you purchase a radio instrument, come in and talk to us.

KENNEDY MUSIC CO.



Critics Laud Harold Grange

Urbana, Ill.—"Grange, the unstoppable touchdown machine" "Greater than Heston, Gipp, Thorpe, Harley—" "The Red Peril of the Big Ten"—"Most amazing runner who ever trod gridiron—" "A hundred percent Grange."

These are the condensed opinions of the leading football critics of the nation on Harold Grange, Illinois' amazing back.

As tribute after tribute is written about the Illinois wildcat, that unperturbed young man goes quietly about his business preparing for the Chicago game Saturday. Here is what some of the experts say: Francis J. Powers, Cleveland News-Leader: "Let the dust of glorious memory settle forever on the deeds of Eddie Heston, Jim Thorpe, Chick Harley and other football heroes of the past, for a new superman has come to rule the gridiron, and today fans are calling 'Red' Grange the greatest back of all time."

L. H. Northard, Detroit Free Press: "When histories are written on the feats of redheaded warriors, Grange must be given his place with those old heroes, Richard the Lionhearted, Frederick Barbarossa, and Eric the Red."

Warren W. Brown, Chicago Herald and Examiner: "Grange, the unstoppable, is the most amazing runner who ever trod a gridiron."

James Crusinberry, Chicago Tribune: "He is one of the greatest warriors of all time, east or west, combining as he does the size and strength of Heston with the skill and driving ability of Eckersall."

Ralph Cannon, Chicago Journal: "To say that he is a hundred percent player comes the closest to doing him justice."

Associated Press: "Critics agree that Grange has no equal in the west side Eckersall. He has made Illinois a big favorite to win the western conference championship."

E. A. Batchelor, Detroit Saturday Night: "The writer has seen Coy Mahan, Hardwick, Charley Barrett, Jim Thorpe and others—if he wanted fast service, carrying a football in any given direction, he would pick Grange in preference to any of those named. Heston played a different kind of a game and against a different kind of competition. Harold is as great in the game of today as Heston was in the entirely different game of his time. The only way to stop him is to use shotguns, lassoes and hand grenades, sad they forfeit the game."

H. G. Salsinger, Detroit News: "Grange established himself as the greatest runner in football in the Michigan game. His performance finds no equal in football history. Here indeed was a superman, a player that could not be stopped."

Dixon Team Defeated in Sterling Contest

Sterling Gazette—The much expected opposition in the Dixon Boosters failed to materialize here Sunday at Community Athletic park and the Sterling Independents romped away with the game 41 to 0. The visitors never had a chance.

Sterling has a real football team and the management has been endeavoring to get some real opposition but they all fall by the wayside. On next Sunday they will meet a team that has been on the winning end of most of their games this season. It is the strong Spring Valley Navajos. This team should be able to make the Sterling Independents show

their stuff and at the same time cause the locals some worry in defending their goal.

The locals scored by straight line plunges, via air on forward passes and also on a 35 yard drop kick by Angel. There was a good attendance at the game Sunday and the big crowd of the season should be on hand next Sunday. On next Tuesday the team goes to Dixon for a return game with the Boosters. The Boosters expect to have a real lineup on that occasion.

Hard Times Party at Gates Home Friday

Kingdom—Mr. and Mrs. C. White of near Harmon were Sunday guests at the home of their sister, Mrs. William Morris and family.

Owen Morris and family of near Daysville were visitors at the John Morris home Sunday.

Mrs. Sanford of Oregon is visiting at the home of her son, Allan Sanford. Mrs. Sanford's sister, Mrs. Van Ness, of Ashton, was also a visitor at the Allan Sanford home.

Leonard Stevens and son, Bobbie, transacted business at Harvard last week.

Messrs and Mesdames Henry Hintz and William Floto have returned from a motor trip to central Iowa where they visited relatives the past week.

Miss Ora Floto has been assisting at the Keyes-Ahrens furniture store in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barlow, of Dixon were recent visitors at the John Bachman home.

Dr. and Mrs. Habacker, of Dixon, were recent dinner guests at the Leonard Stevens home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Singer and children, Helen and John, of Franklin Grove, were supper guests at the la-

dy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bachman last Sunday.

Mrs. John Morris has been transacting business in Franklin Grove this week.

Friday there was a "hard times" party and scramble supper at the Fred Gates home. About 50 were present and the evening was full of Hallowe'en entertainment. Mrs. Wm. Floto's costume was voted the most artistic (?) and several had to pay the penalty for not dressing up for the occasion. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. George McWethy and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McWethy were each presented with silver salt and pepper shakers as a slight token of love and respect of those present. The McWethy families intend to move to Dixon next week and all regret to lose such good neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and Janet Hussey, of Franklin Grove attended the party at the Fred Gates home.

Miss Verna Gates who is teaching at Rock Falls, is home for the weekend. She is accompanied by her former college friend, Miss Hazel Smith of Dixon.

The Riverside Community club of Kingdom will hold the first regular meeting of the fall at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bleschke, Nov. 14.

Lloyd Floto and wife of Dixon were Sunday guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Floto.

Mrs. C. F. Woodburn and daughter and Mrs. R. S. Farrand of Dixon were Sunday callers at the John Bachman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schumacker of Rockford and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schumaker of Dixon were Sunday guests at the home of their son, William Morris.

The United States purchases two thirds of all the gunny cloth made by India jute manufacturers.

ARMISTICE DAY OBSERVANCE IS ASKED BY GOV.

Issues Proclamation to Citizens on Anniversary of Peace.

Springfield—Calling upon citizens of the state to display the flag and their service flags, Governor Small called upon all citizens of the state to observe Armistice Day, Nov. 11, in a proclamation.

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Therefore, I, Len Small, Governor of Illinois, do hereby request that Tuesday, November eleventh, the anniversary of Armistice Day, be generally observed throughout the state by public meetings, appropriate exercises in commemoration of the patriotism and bravery of our soldiers and sailors and in grateful remembrance of those who made the last great sacrifice in the World War. On that day let our National Ensign everywhere be flown to the breeze and let our citizens hang in the windows of their homes their honored service flags and proudly displayed while their loved ones were fighting for the peace of the world.

Signed,
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Whereas the statutes of Illinois

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Radiographs

USE OF RADIO ON FARMS NOW IS INCREASING

Farmers Learning the Advantages of Radio; Build Sets.

Radio is routing the twin enemies of farm life, isolation and loneliness. There are more than two and a half times as many radios in use on farms in this country now than there were a year ago. This is shown in a special survey made by the Department of Agriculture. It is estimated there are now more than 376,000 radio sets in use on farms as compared with 145,000 a year ago. The survey was made among country agricultural agents.

Heretofore farmers have not availed themselves of the benefits of radio as rapidly as would naturally be expected. Compared with the number of farmers in the country, the number of radio sets in use on farms has been comparatively small.

One-fourth of the people engaged in gainful occupation in this country are farmers; there are 5,000,000 farms in the United States. The farmer is just coming into the market for radio on a scale commensurate with the number of farmers who are potential buyers.

This phase of the development of radio has somewhat puzzled manufacturers, for if anybody could make practical use of radio it is the farmer. It would be useful and entertaining to him at all times of the year, and the winter season, when he has a bit more leisure, is the best time of the year for the most satisfactory reception of radio.

Source of News

Radio is always a source of news. It brings to the farm daily weather reports and forecasts which are invaluable in the handling of crops. It furnishes stock quotations daily, including quotations on crops and commodities as well as securities. Government crop reports are broadcast at frequent intervals. To the farmer and his family who live at a distance from church, radio brings the sermons and church services. In addition the wide range of entertainment and educational programs broadcast daily are as available to the farmer as to anyone else anywhere, provided he has a good set.

Perhaps one reason why the farmer until recently has been slow in taking up radio is that he has not known what to buy, or has not known how easy it is for him to build his own set. He has been puzzled as to which set to buy because of conflicting reports on the efficiency of various types of circuits, all of which are more or less Greek to him. One company, however, has issued a booklet entitled "Amplification Without Distortion" which describes in detail how to build sets of the well known reflex type. This particular circuit spread over the country like wildfire, and it is estimated that not less than 80,000 amateurs have built sets of this type. The same company also puts out a knock down kit set. Only two tools, a pair of pliers and a screw driver, are required to put it together and these are furnished.

Dry Cells Help Radio

The advent of dry cell batteries has simplified sets for use on farms and elsewhere where electric current is not available. These do away with storage batteries which have been the biggest handicap, as they require central station current and a rectifier or battery charger.

It is possible, too, that the farmer has feared the outside antenna and had a mistaken idea that it might cause a fire from lightning. The fact is, however, that an outside antenna, properly grounded is a sort of lightning rod and is actually a protection during a storm.

With a reflex set it is possible to listen to stations within a thousand miles, and they can be brought in clear and without distortion on a speaker using a loop or inside a set. This set, in the opinion of engineers, is the ideal set for the farmer, because of its simplicity, and the fact that no elaborate tuning equipment is used and also because of its economy in tubes; it uses each tube twice.

The importance of the farm in American development was pointed out by the late Walter H. Page, and published in his "Life and Letters." He said: "The most striking single fact about the United States is, I think, this spectacle, which, so far as I know, is new in the world: On that great agricultural area are about seven million farms of an average size of about 140 acres, most of which are owned by the owners themselves, a population that varies greatly, of course, in its thrift and efficiency, but most of which is well-housed, in houses they themselves own, well-clad, well-fed, and a population that trains practically all its children in schools maintained by public taxation."

On the 110,000,000 population of the United States, over sixty million reside in towns of under five thousand population or on the farms.

To those rural dwellers radio is the greatest invention of all time. It means an end to isolation; it means musical and educational advantages previously known only to the city dweller.

The big future of radio lies in the rural field and the small town.

WHAT'S IN THE AIR WEDNESDAY—

WOC—THE PALMER SCHOOL OF CHIROPRACTIC DAVENPORT, IOWA.

10:00 A. M.—Opening Market Quotations.

10:30 A. M.—Household Hints.

10:35 A. M.—Time Signals.

11:00 A. M.—Weather and River Forecast.

11:30 A. M.—Market Quotations.

12:00 Noon—Chimes Concert.

12:15 P. M.—Weather Forecast (Repeated.)
2:00 P. M.—Closing Stocks and Markets.
6:45 P. M.—Sport News and Weather Forecast.
7:00 P. M.—Sandman's Visit.
(Bedtime Stories by Miss Val MacLaughlin.)
8:00 P. M.—Organ Recital from the B. J. Palmer Residence—
Mrs. Frank W. Elliott, Organiste, Assisted by Howard A. Carron, Tenor.

(Courtesy of Radio Digest)
(By Associated Press)
WEI Boston (300) 6 Egg Brother Club, 6:30 "How to Improve Your Receiving Set"; 6:45 talk; 7 concert; 7:30 dance; 8:15 soprano; 9 musical; 10 orchestra.
WGN Chicago Tribune (370) 6 organ; 6:30 concert; 8 concert; 8:30 artists; 10 Chapman's orchestra.
WMAQ Chicago News (447.5) 6 Chicago Theatre organ; 3:30 story lady; 8 lecture; 8:30 musical; 9 playright; 9:45 talk.
KYM Chicago (565) 6:35-9:15 concert; stage review; musical; 9:15 talk; 9:45-10:00 a. m. review; organ.
WQJ Chicago (448) concert; 10-2 Skylarks, singers.
WLW Cincinnati (423) 8 entertainers concert; 11:30 Arabian nights.
WOC Davenport (484) 7 Sandman; 8 organ, tenor.
WWJ Detroit News (517) 7 News orchestra.
WGX Detroit Free Press (517) 6 violinist, pianist, soprano, speaker.
WPAF Ft. Worth Star Telegram (516) 1:30-5:30 concert; 9:30-10:45 program.
WVAF Kansas City Star (411) 6 School of the Air; 8 recital; 11:45 Nighthawks.
WIB Kansas City (411) 7-8 Parent-Teachers program.
KJL Los Angeles (395) 8 orchestra; 8:30 children; 9:30 university program; 10 lecture; 12 dance.
WHAS Louisville Times (469) 7:30-9:30 Lawrence Quintette.
WJL (516) Boston Store night.
WCCO Minneapolis, St. Paul (417) 6:30 talk; 7 vesper service; 9:30 musical.
WEAF New York (492) 6 synagogue services; 6:30 talk; 6:45 talk; 7 musical; 7:30 Russian choral; 8:45 trio; WJZ New York (455) 6 orchestra; 7 Wall St. Journal review; 7:10 talk; 7:30 violin st.; 8:45 lecture; 8:55 violinist; 8:20 talk; 8:35 baritone; 9 trio; 9:30 orchestra.

WHN New York (350) 3:15-12 solos, talks, orchestra, dance.
WOO Newark (405) 1:30-9:30 solos, talks, dance.
KGO Oakland (612) 6 orchestra.
WDAR Philadelphia (395) 6:30 talk; 7 talk; 7:15 orchestra; 9 dance, dancing lessons.
WOO Philadelphia (509) 6:30 orchestra; 7:15 concert; 8 orchestra; 9:30 recital; 9:30 dance.
WCAE Pittsburgh (462) 6:30 Sunshine Girl; 6:45 special; 7:15 special 7:30 singers.
KGW Portland (492) 7 stories; 10 concert; 12 orchestra.
KPO San Francisco (423) 7:30 children; 8 orchestra; 10 organ; 11 pianist.
WKAQ San Juan (360) 6-7:30 concert band.
WEZ Springfield (344) 6:05; 6:05; 6:15-9 address, concert, band, soloists; 10 orchestra; 10:30 popular songs; 10:45 orchestra.
KSD St. Louis Post Dispatch (640) 6:45 ensemble; 9 baritone, pianist.
WCAP Washington (469) 6:30 concert 7:30-9 music.

IN COUNTY COURT

In re Brush Grove Drainage District, Oct. 9, Commissioner Henry C. Menz. Report of per diem and travel expenses approved and certified for payment in the sum of \$40.00.

Est Loren T. Welman, Oct. 9, Executor's report approved.

Est John A. Dubois, Oct. 9, Appraisal Bill approved. List of Personal Property set off to widow.

Est Nathan A. Cortright, Oct. 9, Inventory approved.

Est Samuel S. Dodge, Oct. 10, Proof of giving notice of claim, day approved.

Est William Condon, Oct. 10, Chas. E. Slain appointed Administrator under bond of \$10,000 which bond is approved by the court.

Est Wilber M. Phillips, Oct. 10, Claim allowed.

The people of the State of Illinois vs Emanuel May. Information for Malicious Mischief, Oct. 13. Defendant Emanuel May being in open court waives his right to a trial by jury in writing and pleads guilty to offense in manner and form as charged in Information. Ordered that Defendant be confined in the County Jail of Lee County for a period of 60 days and pay a fine of \$100.00 and costs and a default of payment of same he be confined in the County Jail of Lee County to work out same at the rate of \$5.00 per day. Ordered that the Defendant be confined in the County Jail of Lee County for a period of 60 days on the second count of Information.

Est Isabelle Tracy Wymer, Oct. 14, Final report filed and set for hearing Nov. 3, 1924.

The people of the State of Illinois vs Henry Ringenberg. Information for Possessing, etc., intoxicating liquor Oct. 14, Defendant Henry Ringenberg being in open court waives his right to a trial by jury in writing and pleads guilty to offense in manner and form as charged in Information. Ordered that Defendant pay a fine of \$100.00 and costs on first count of Information and in default of payment of same he be confined in the County Jail of Lee County to work out same at the rate of \$5.00 per day. Ordered that the Defendant be confined in the County Jail of Lee County for a period of 60 days on the second count of Information.

Est George Meagher, Information for Possessing and Transporting Intoxicating Liquor, Oct. 15, Defendant George Meagher being in open court waives his right to a trial by jury in writing and pleads guilty to offense in manner and form as charged in Information. Ordered that Defendant pay a fine of \$100.00 and costs on first count of Information and in default of payment of same he be confined in the County Jail of Lee County to work out same at the rate of \$5.00 per day. Ordered that the Defendant be confined in the County Jail of Lee County for a period of 60 days on the second count of Information.

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FOR SALE—Seller's kitchen cabinet, 209 E. Fourth St. Mrs. Neff. 2593*

FOR SALE—Modern 7-room and bath, north side home. Good location, new, \$5000. A splendid buy.

TALK WITH KEYES, Ground floor, Dixon Theatre Bldg. 2593

FOR SALE—Chevrolet sedan, Ford roadster and 10-room house, modern. Call at 316 Madison Ave. 26013*

FOR SALE—Paige 644, sport model, excellent condition. A bargain. Riverview Garage. 26013*

FOR SALE—Red River Ohio potatoes, very fine, on river track near Galena Av. bridge. Phone X1034. O. D. Sweetman. 26013*

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WANTED—Horse, combination saddle and driving. Tel. 89, Dixon State Hospital. 2593

WANTED—Medium sized National Cash register. Replacement Parts Co., 313 First St. Phone 604. 2593

WANTED—Will haul your garbage for 25c week. Wm. Girtton. Tel. 56210. 26013*

WANTED TO BUY—Cottage in Assembly Park. Address D. Harrigan, 1621 Insurance Exchange Bldg., Chicago. 26013

WANTED—Chance to work on farm on shares. Am married and have 3 boys. Will be ready March 25th. Either salary or shares. S. E. Gauer, West Brooklyn, Ill. Phone 82, 26013*

WANTED—Married man to work on farm. Good house, cbw and chickens furnished. Employment at once. Phone or wire, Frank S. Hart, Ashton, Ill. 26013

WANTED—Any one who owns property in Lee County to see and talk with me as to the advantage of insuring in the companies I represent. H. U. Bardwell, Galena Ave. 26013

WANTED—Users of job printing to visit our job department for letterheads, envelopes, bill heads, catalogues, etc. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

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SYNOPSIS.

Peter Blood, a rebel-convict under King James, becomes a buccaneer with headquarters at Tortuga. He is in love with Arabella Bishop and has rescued Madelon d'Orgeron, daughter of the governor of Tortuga from Levasseur, a French ruffian. This insures him ships and men for his enterprise. King James sends to the West Indies Lord Julian Wade as an emissary to make peace with piracy. Arabella is on the same ship, the Royal Mary.

CHAPTER XVI—Continued

Lord Julian hailed her advent with satisfaction. His lordship was one of your gallants to whom existence that is not graced by womankind is more or less of a stagnation. And Miss Arabella Bishop was a young woman and a lady; and in the latitudes into which Lord Julian had strayed this was a phenomenon sufficiently rare to command attention. On his side, with his title and position, his personal grace and the charm of a practiced courtier, he bore about him the atmosphere of the great world in which normally he had his being—world that was little more than a name to her, who had spent most of her life in the Antilles. It is not therefore wonderful that they should have been attracted to each other before the Royal Mary was warped out of St. Nicholas. Each could tell the other much upon which the other desired information. Considering how his mind was obsessed with the business of his mission, it is not wonderful that he should have come to talk to her of Captain Blood. Indeed, there was a circumstance that directly led to it.

"I wonder now," he said, as they were sauntering on the poop, "if you ever saw this fellow Blood who was at one time on your uncle's plantations as a slave?"

"I saw him often. I knew him very well."

"He don't say!" and came to lean beside her. "And what manner of man did you find him?"

"In those days I esteemed him

as a man who salled with them, a Frenchman named Cahusac, whom I found in a waterside tavern in St. Nicholas. He was Levasseur's Lieutenant, and he was present on the island where the thing happened, and when Levasseur was killed."

"And the girl? Did he say the girl was present, too?"

"Yes. She was a witness of the encounter. Blood carried her off when he had disposed of his brother-buccaneer."

"And the dead man's followers allowed it?" He caught the note of incredulity in her voice, but missed the note of relief with which it was blent. "Oh, I don't believe the tale. I won't believe it!"

"I honor you for that, Miss Bishop. It strained my own belief that men should be so callous, until this Cahusac afforded me the explanation. Blood purchased their consent, and his right to carry the girl off. He paid them in pearls that were worth more than twenty thousand pieces of eight." His lordship laughed again with a touch of contempt. "A handsome prince!"

"Your Cahusac seems to have been accurate enough. Alas!"

"You are sorry, then?"

"As we are sorry to hear of the death of one we have esteemed. Once I held him in regard for an unfortunate but worthy gentleman. Now . . . Such a man is best forgotten."

And upon that she passed at once to speak of other things.

The friendship, which it was her earnest gift to command in all she met, grew steadily between those two in the little time remaining, until the event fell that marred what was promising to be the pleasantest stage of his lordship's voyage.

The marplot was the mad dog Spanish admiral, whom they encountered on the second day out, when half way across the Gulf of Gonvales. A shot from the Milagrosa got among some powder stored in the Royal Mary's forecastle and blew up half the ship almost before the first had started. Before the men of the Royal Mary had recovered from their consternation, their captain killed and a third of their number destroyed with him, the ship yawning and rocking helplessly in a crippled state. The Spaniards boarded her.

In the captain's cabin, under the poop, to which Miss Bishop had been conducted for safety, Lord Julian was seeking to comfort and encourage her, with assurances that all would yet be well, at the very moment when Don Miguel was stepping aboard. Fortunately, Miss Bishop did not appear to be in desperate need of the poor comfort he was in case to offer. The cabin door flew open and Don Miguel strode in. Lord Julian spun round to face him and clapped a hand to his sword.

"That," she said in a small voice, "is the unforgivable thing. It has destroyed him—deservedly."

"Destroyed him?" His lordship laughed a little. "Be none so sure of that. He has grown rich I hear. He has translated, so it is said, his Spanish spoils into French gold which is being treasured up for him in France. His future father-in-law, M. d'Orgeron, has seen to that."

"If you mean of the wrongs he suffered at the hands of the Royal Commission that tried the Monmouth rebels, there's little doubt that it would be true enough. He was never out with Monmouth; that is certain. He was convicted on a point of law which he may well have been ignorant when he committed what was construed into treason. But, faith, he's had his revenge, after a fashion."

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"The same. You didn't know?"

She shook her head without replying. After a moment she spoke her voice steady and perfectly controlled.

"But, surely, if this were true, there would have been an end to his piracy by now. If he . . . if he loved a woman and was be trothed, and was also rich as you say, surely he would have abandoned this desperate life and . . .

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